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Tygart LLC

Project No. 12613-004

## NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's regulations, 18 CFR Part 380, the Office of Energy Projects has reviewed the application for an original license for the proposed 30-megawatt (MW) Tygart Hydroelectric Project to be located on the Tygart River in Taylor County, West Virginia, at the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' (Corps) Tygart Dam and has prepared an environmental assessment (EA).

In the EA, Commission staff analyzes the potential environmental effects of licensing the project and concludes that issuing a license for the construction and operation of the project, with appropriate environmental protective measures, would not constitute a major federal action that would significantly affect the quality of the human environment.

A copy of the EA is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's website at <a href="http://www.ferc.gov">http://www.ferc.gov</a> using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at <a href="ferconlineSupport@ferc.gov">FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov</a> or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, (202) 502-8659.

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